

ESB 5096 - H AMD TO H AMD (H-2628.2/17) **476**
By Representative Irwin

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1 On page 81, after line 18 of the striking amendment, insert the
2 following:

3 "Sec. 714. RCW 46.18.200 and 2016 c 36 s 1 are each amended to
4 read as follows:

5 (1) Special license plate series reviewed and approved by the
6 department:

7 (a) May be issued in lieu of standard issue or personalized
8 license plates for vehicles required to display one and two license
9 plates unless otherwise specified;

10 (b) Must be issued under terms and conditions established by the
11 department;

12 (c) Must not be issued for vehicles registered under chapter
13 46.87 RCW; and

14 (d) Must display a symbol or artwork approved by the department.

15 (2)(a) The department approves and shall issue the following
16 special license plates:

LICENSE PLATE	DESCRIPTION, SYMBOL, OR ARTWORK
4-H	Displays the "4-H" logo.
Armed forces collection	Recognizes the contribution of veterans, active duty military personnel, reservists, and members of the national guard, and includes six separate designs, each containing a symbol representing a different branch of the armed forces to include army, navy, air

1		force, marine corps, coast guard,
2		and national guard.
3	Breast cancer awareness	Displays a pink ribbon symbolizing
4		breast cancer awareness.
5	Endangered wildlife	Displays a symbol or artwork
6		symbolizing endangered wildlife in
7		Washington state.
8	Gonzaga University alumni	Recognizes the Gonzaga University
9	association	alumni association.
10	Helping kids speak	Recognizes an organization that
11		supports programs that provide no-
12		cost speech pathology programs to
13		children.
14	Keep kids safe	Recognizes efforts to prevent child
15		abuse and neglect.
16	Law enforcement memorial	Honors law enforcement officers in
17		Washington killed in the line of
18		duty.
19	Music matters	Displays the "Music Matters" logo.
20	Professional firefighters and	Recognizes professional
21	paramedics	firefighters and paramedics who
22		are members of the Washington
23		state council of firefighters.
24	Seattle Seahawks	Displays the "Seattle Seahawks"
25		logo.
26	Seattle Sounders FC	Displays the "Seattle Sounders FC"
27		logo.
28	Seattle University	Recognizes Seattle University.
29	Share the road	Recognizes an organization that
30		promotes bicycle safety and
31		awareness education.
32	Ski & ride Washington	Recognizes the Washington
33		snowsports industry.
34	State flower	Recognizes the Washington state

1		flower.
2	Volunteer firefighters	Recognizes volunteer firefighters.
3	Washington farmers and ranchers	Recognizes farmers and ranchers in
4		Washington state.
5	Washington lighthouses	Recognizes an organization that
6		supports selected Washington state
7		lighthouses and provides
8		environmental education programs.
9	Washington state parks	Recognizes Washington state parks
10		as premier destinations of
11		uncommon quality that preserve
12		significant natural, cultural,
13		historical, and recreational
14		resources.
15	Washington state wrestling	Promotes and supports college
16		wrestling in the state of
17		Washington.
18	Washington tennis	Builds awareness and year-round
19		opportunities for tennis in
20		Washington state. Displays a
21		symbol or artwork recognizing
22		tennis in Washington state.
23	Washington's national park fund	Builds awareness of Washington's
24		national parks and supports priority
25		park programs and projects in
26		Washington's national parks, such
27		as enhancing visitor experience,
28		promoting volunteerism, engaging
29		communities, and providing
30		educational opportunities related to
31		Washington's national parks.
32	Washington's fish collection	Recognizes Washington's fish.
33	Washington's wildlife collection	Recognizes Washington's wildlife.
34	We love our pets	Recognizes an organization that

1 assists local member agencies of
2 the federation of animal welfare
3 and control agencies to promote
4 and perform spay/neuter surgery on
5 Washington state pets to reduce pet
6 overpopulation.
7 Wild on Washington Symbolizes wildlife viewing in
8 Washington state.

9 (b) During the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium, the department
10 approves and shall issue the national rifle association special
11 license plate that displays the national rifle association logo.

12 (3) Applicants for initial and renewal professional firefighters
13 and paramedics special license plates must show proof of eligibility
14 by providing a certificate of current membership from the Washington
15 state council of firefighters.

16 (4) Applicants for initial volunteer firefighters special
17 license plates must (a) have been a volunteer firefighter for at
18 least ten years or be a volunteer firefighter for one or more years
19 and (b) have documentation of service from the district of the
20 appropriate fire service. If the volunteer firefighter leaves
21 firefighting service before ten years of service have been
22 completed, the volunteer firefighter shall surrender the license
23 plates to the department on the registration renewal date. If the
24 volunteer firefighter stays in service for at least ten years and
25 then leaves, the license plate may be retained by the former
26 volunteer firefighter and as long as the license plate is retained
27 for use the person will continue to pay the future registration
28 renewals. A qualifying volunteer firefighter may have no more than
29 one set of license plates per vehicle, and a maximum of two sets per
30 applicant, for their personal vehicles. If the volunteer firefighter
31 is convicted of a violation of RCW 46.61.502 or a felony, the
32 license plates must be surrendered upon conviction.

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1 **Sec. 715.** RCW 46.17.220 and 2016 c 36 s 2 are each amended to
2 read as follows:

3 (1)(a) In addition to all fees and taxes required to be paid
4 upon application for a vehicle registration in chapter 46.16A RCW,
5 the holder of a special license plate shall pay the appropriate
6 special license plate fee as listed in this subsection.

7	PLATE TYPE	INITIAL	RENEWAL	DISTRIBUTED
8		FEE	FEE	UNDER
9	(a) 4-H	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
10	(b) Amateur radio license	\$ 5.00	N/A	RCW 46.68.070
11	(c) Armed forces	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425
12	(d) Baseball stadium	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	Subsection (2) of this
13				section
14	(e) Breast cancer awareness	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425
15	(f) Collector vehicle	\$ 35.00	N/A	RCW 46.68.030
16	(g) Collegiate	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.430
17	(h) Endangered wildlife	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425
18	(i) Gonzaga University	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
19	alumni association			
20	(j) Helping kids speak	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
21	(k) Horseless carriage	\$ 35.00	N/A	RCW 46.68.030
22	(l) Keep kids safe	\$ 45.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425
23	(m) Law enforcement	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
24	memorial			
25	(n) Military affiliate radio	\$ 5.00	N/A	RCW 46.68.070
26	system			
27	(o) Music matters	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
28	(p) Purple Heart	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425
29	(q) Professional firefighters	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
30	and paramedics			
31	(r) Ride share	\$ 25.00	N/A	RCW 46.68.030
32	(s) Seattle Seahawks	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
33	(t) Seattle Sounders FC	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
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1	(u) Seattle University	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
2	(v) Share the road	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
3	(w) Ski & ride Washington	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
4	(x) Square dancer	\$ 40.00	N/A	RCW 46.68.070
5	(y) State flower	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
6	(z) Volunteer firefighters	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
7	(aa) Washington farmers	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
8	and ranchers			
9	(bb) Washington	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
10	lighthouses			
11	(cc) Washington state parks	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425
12	(dd) Washington state	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
13	wrestling			
14	(ee) Washington tennis	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
15	(ff) Washington's fish	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425
16	collection			
17	(gg) Washington's national	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
18	parks			
19	(hh) Washington's wildlife	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425
20	collection			
21	(ii) We love our pets	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.420
22	(jj) Wild on Washington	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425

23 (b) During the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium, in addition to all
24 fees and taxes required to be paid upon application for a vehicle
25 registration in chapter 46.16A RCW, the holder of a national rifle
26 association special license plate shall pay the appropriate special
27 license plate fee as listed in this subsection.

28	<u>PLATE TYPE</u>	<u>INITIAL</u>	<u>RENEWAL</u>	<u>DISTRIBUTED</u>
29		<u>FEE</u>	<u>FEE</u>	<u>UNDER</u>
30	(a) National rifle association	\$ 40.00	\$ 30.00	RCW 46.68.425

33 (2) After deducting administration and collection expenses for
34 the sale of baseball stadium license plates, the remaining proceeds

1 must be distributed to a county for the purpose of paying the
2 principal and interest payments on bonds issued by the county to
3 construct a baseball stadium, as defined in RCW 82.14.0485,
4 including reasonably necessary preconstruction costs, while the
5 taxes are being collected under RCW 82.14.360. After this date, the
6 state treasurer shall credit the funds to the state general fund.

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8 **Sec. 716.** RCW 46.68.425 and 2016 c 31 s 3 are each amended to
9 read as follows:

10 (1) The department shall:

11 (a) Collect special license plate fees established under RCW
12 46.17.220;

13 (b) Deduct an amount not to exceed twelve dollars for initial
14 issue and two dollars for renewal issue for administration and
15 collection expenses incurred by it; and

16 (c) Remit the remaining proceeds to the custody of the state
17 treasurer with a proper identifying detailed report.

18 (2)(a) The state treasurer shall credit the proceeds to the
19 motor vehicle fund until the department determines that the state
20 has been reimbursed for the cost of implementing the special license
21 plate. Upon determination by the department that the state has been
22 reimbursed, the state treasurer shall credit the remaining special
23 license plate fees to the following accounts by special license
24 plate type:

SPECIAL LICENSE	ACCOUNT	CONDITIONS FOR
PLATE TYPE		USE OF FUNDS
Armed forces	RCW 43.60A.140	As specified in RCW 43.60A.140(4)
Breast cancer awareness	RCW 43.70.327	Must be used only by the department of health for efforts consistent with the breast, cervical, and colon health program
Endangered wildlife	RCW 77.12.170	Must be used only for

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			the department of fish and wildlife's endangered wildlife program activities
Keep kids safe	RCW 43.121.100		As specified in RCW 43.121.100
Purple Heart	RCW 43.60A.140		As specified in RCW 43.60A.140(4)
Washington state parks	RCW 79A.05.059		Provide public educational opportunities and enhancement of Washington state parks
Washington's fish collection	RCW 77.12.170		Only for the department of fish and wildlife's use to support steelhead species management activities including, but not limited to, activities supporting conservation, recovery, and research to promote healthy, fishable steelhead
Washington's wildlife collection	RCW 77.12.170		Only for the department of fish and wildlife's game species management activities
Wild on Washington	RCW 77.12.170		Dedicated to the department of fish and wildlife's watchable wildlife activities, as defined in RCW 77.32.560

1 (b) During the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium, the state treasurer
2 shall credit the proceeds of the national rifle association special
3 license plate to the motor vehicle fund until the department
4 determines that the state has been reimbursed for the cost of
5 implementing the national rifle association special license plate.
6 Upon determination by the department that the state has been
7 reimbursed, the state treasurer shall credit the remaining national
8 rifle association special license plate fees to the fish and
9 wildlife enforcement reward account established in RCW 77.15.425.
10 Fees credited to this account from the national rifle association
11 special license plate shall be used for the enhanced support of
12 firearm safety and education as part of the hunter education
13 training program under RCW 77.32.155.

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15 **Sec. 717.** RCW 77.15.425 and 2016 c 2 s 6 (Initiative Measure
16 No. 1401, approved November 3, 2015) are each amended to read as
17 follows:

18 The fish and wildlife enforcement reward account is created in the
19 custody of the state treasurer. Deposits to the account include:
20 Receipts from fish and shellfish overages as a result of a department
21 enforcement action; fees for hunter education deferral applications;
22 fees for master hunter applications and master hunter certification
23 renewals; during the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium, fees for national
24 rifle association license plates as provided in RCW 46.68.425; all
25 receipts from criminal wildlife penalty assessments under this
26 chapter; all receipts of court-ordered restitution or donations
27 associated with any fish, shellfish, or wildlife enforcement action;
28 and proceeds from forfeitures and evidence pursuant to RCW 77.15.070
29 and 77.15.100. The department may accept money or personal property
30 from persons under conditions requiring the property or money to be
31 used consistent with the intent of expenditures from the fish and
32 wildlife enforcement reward account. Expenditures from the account may
33 be used only for investigation and prosecution of fish and wildlife
34 offenses, to provide rewards to persons informing the department about

1 violations of this title and rules adopted under this title, to offset
2 department-approved costs incurred to administer the hunter education
3 deferral program and the master hunter permit program, for the
4 enhanced support of firearm safety and education as part of the
5 hunter education training program under RCW 77.32.155 during the
6 2017-2019 fiscal biennium, and for other valid enforcement uses as
7 determined by the commission. Only the director or the director's
8 designee may authorize expenditures from the account. The account is
9 subject to allotment procedures under chapter 43.88 RCW, but an
10 appropriation is not required for expenditures.

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12 NEW SECTION. **Sec. 718.** A new section is added to chapter 46.04
13 RCW to read as follows:

14 (1) "National rifle association license plates" means special
15 license plates issued under RCW 46.18.200 that display the National
16 Rifle Association logo.

17 (2) This section expires June 30, 2019."

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EFFECT: During the 2017-2019 fiscal biennium: 1) Allows the
Department of Licensing to issue special license plates that display
the National Rifle Association (NRA) logo; 2) Sets the cost of the
NRA special license plate at \$40 for an initial plate and \$30 for
renewals, in addition to all other taxes and fees required upon
application for vehicle registration; and 3) Requires proceeds from
the NRA special license plate to be credited to the fish and
wildlife enforcement reward account to be used for firearm safety
and education.

FISCAL IMPACT: No net change to appropriated levels.

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